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In re application of: McAlister, Robert R.

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SUPPORT BEAM CONFIGURATION

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## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

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Sir:

The present paper is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated July 28, 2006, in the above-identified application.

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## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Claims 1, 5, 8, 12 and 20 are amended, and claims 1-21 remain in the application. Reexamination and reconsideration of the application, as amended, are requested.